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SUBJECT:FIREARMS IDENTIFICATION TRAINING FOR KENYA POLICE

REF: A) NAIROBI 14351, B) SECDEF 282216Z DEC 76

1. AS INDICATED REFTEL B, REQUESTS FOR TRAINING OF
CIVILIAN POLICE ON A REIMBURSABLE BASIS FALL UNDER
JURISDICTION OF AID. (USE OF APPROPRIATED US FUNDS FOR
SUCH TRAINING IS PROHIBITED BY LAW). CURRENT RESTRICTIONS
ON REIMBURSABLE POLICE TRAINING ARE SO STRINGENT THAT
VIRTUALLY NO EXCEPTIONS HAVE BEEN GRANTED IN RECENT PAST.
DEPARTMENT WOULD BE PREPARED HOWEVER, TO SEEK EXCEPTION IN
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CASE OF KENYAN REQUEST IF EMBASSY CAN MAKE SUFFICIENTLY
STRONG JUSTIFICATION FOR PROPOSED TRAINING -- IN TERMS OF
BOTH ITS USEFULNESS TO GOK AND DIRECT U.S. INTERESTS (E.G.
POSSIBLE ANTI-TERRORISM ASPECTS, ETC.) INVOLVED.

2. FULL DESCRIPTION OF PURPOSE FOR WHICH PROPOSED TRAINING
WOULD BE USED IS NECESSARY IN ORDER TO PERMIT DETERMINATION,

REQUIRED BY FOREIGN ASSISTANCE ACT (SECTION 607), AS TO WHETHER PROPOSED TRAINING IS "CONSISTENT WITH AND IN FURTHERANCE OF THE PURPOSES OF PART I AND WITHIN THE LIMITATIONS OF THIS ACT..." THE PURPOSES OF PART I OF THE FOREIGN ASSISTANCE ACT ARE STATED GENERALLY IN SECTION 102 OF THE ACT, WHICH SHOULD BE AVAILABLE AT EMBASSY.

3. SINCE USG PROVIDE FIREARMS IDENTIFICATION TRAINING WOULD REQUIRE LONG AND VERY POSSIBLY UNSUCCESSFUL EFFORT TO OBTAIN EXCEPTION TO RESTRICTIONS OF SECTION 607 OF FOREIGN ASSISTANCE ACT, EMBASSY SHOULD SUGGEST TO GOK POSSIBILITY OF SECURING REQUESTED TRAINING ON COMMERCIAL BASIS. COMMERCIAL TRAINING MAY ALSO BE DIFFICULT TO ARRANGE (DUE TO LIMITED FACILITIES AVAILABLE OUTSIDE FEDERAL GOVERNMENT PROGRAMS), BUT COULD BE ORGANIZED IN COOPERATION WITH SOME LOCAL POLICE DEPARTMENT HAVING CAPABILITY AND WILLINGNESS TO PARTICIPATE IN FIREARMS IDENTIFICATION PROGRAM TO MEET GOK NEEDS. WITHOUT MENTIONING GOK BY NAME AND ONLY ON BASIS OF LIMITED INFORMATION CONTAINED IN GOK REQUEST, FOLLOWING FIRM HAS INDICATED INTEREST IN ORGANIZING REQUESTED TRAINING:

PUBLIC SAFETY SERVICES, INC.
1250 CONNECTICUT AVE.
WASHINGTON, D.C. 20036
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POLICE ACADEMY)

4. IN ADDITION, FOLLOWING ORGANIZATION COULD PROVIDE ASSISTANCE IN LOCATING REQUESTED TRAINING:

INTERNATIONAL ASSOCIATION OF CHIEFS OF POLICE
11 FIRSTFIELD ROAD
GAITHERSBURG, MARYLAND 20760
TEL. 301-948-0922
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